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**From:** Penman, Crystal [Penman.Crystal@epa.gov]  
**Sent:** 10/10/2018 1:17:25 PM  
**To:** Forsgren, Lee [Forsgren.Lee@epa.gov]  
**Subject:** Alan Mintz

Fyi.

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**From:** Alan Mintz [mailto:alm@vnf.com]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 3, 2018 2:39 PM  
**To:** Penman, Crystal <Penman.Crystal@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: checking in

Crystal,

Thanks again for your assistance in this matter. I just want to confirm that we are on the schedule to meet with David Ross (and Lee Forsgren if he is available) at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, October 16. I hope that this date and time still work on David's calendar and we look forward to seeing him and you then.

When you have a chance, please confirm for me that this meeting is still set for October 16. Thanks.

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**From:** Alan Mintz  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 26, 2018 11:04 AM  
**To:** 'Penman, Crystal'  
**Subject:** RE: checking in

Thanks again for taking the time to talk with me this morning. As we discussed, representatives of Hudbay plan to be in Washington, D.C. on Tuesday, October 16, and would greatly appreciate the opportunity to meet with David Ross while they are in town. We discussed a possible meeting at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, October 16, and that date and time should work well for our team.

The Hudbay representatives would like to brief Mr. Ross (and Lee Forsgren, if he is also available at that time) on the Rosemont copper mine project in southern Arizona. The project is in the final stages of pursuing a section 404 permit under the Clean Water Act, working with the Army Corps of Engineers, and we would like to make sure that Mr. Ross has the most recent update on the permitting process. We have, in the past, briefed Mr. Ross' predecessor as well as Mr. Forsgren, and we would greatly appreciate the chance to brief Mr. Ross on this project.

Attendees for the meeting include: Andre Lauzon, the head of the Arizona business unit of Hudbay and the principal in charge of the Rosemont copper mine project; Bonnie Medler, the head of government affairs for the Rosemont copper mine project; Luke Johnson of the Brownstein Hyatt law firm, Washington, D.C. counsel for Hudbay; and Alan Mintz of the Van Ness Feldman law firm, also Washington, D.C. counsel for Hudbay.

Thanks again for your time and consideration in this matter. I look forward to your confirmation of the meeting to be scheduled for Tuesday, October 16, at 10 a.m. (if this date and time will still work for Mr. Ross), and I look forward to seeing you and Mr. Ross then. In the meantime, please let me know if you have any questions or concerns regarding this meeting request or any other aspect of this matter.

Thanks.

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**From:** Penman, Crystal [mailto:Penman.Crystal@epa.gov]  
**Sent:** Friday, September 21, 2018 10:44 AM

**To:** Alan Mintz  
**Subject:** Re: checking in

Mr. Mintz, David Ross will be out on travel on October 11, however, Lee Forsgren is available to meet with your group at either 2p, 3p or 4p. To confirm this meeting, please provide a list of attendees and an agenda. Once received, an official invite will be sent. Thank you.

*Crystal M. Penman*

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**From:** Alan Mintz <[alm@vnf.com](mailto:alm@vnf.com)>  
**Sent:** Thursday, September 20, 2018 2:05 PM  
**To:** Forsgren, Lee  
**Cc:** Penman, Crystal; Campbell, Ann  
**Subject:** RE: checking in

Thanks for the note and the update. I will await further word from all of you before I ask my folks to commit to a trip to D.C. that week. I will continue to hope that you and Dave might be available on October 11 as that is one of the few dates in the near term that will work for my folks.

Thanks, as always, for your time and consideration in this matter. Much appreciated.

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**From:** Forsgren, Lee [<mailto:Forsgren.Lee@epa.gov>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, September 20, 2018 12:20 PM  
**To:** Alan Mintz  
**Cc:** Penman, Crystal; Campbell, Ann  
**Subject:** Re: checking in

Alan

Both Dave and I are traveling a lot during mid October. Let me check if Dave and/or I am available to meet with the Rosemont folks on the 11th.

Lee

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 20, 2018, at 10:42 AM, Alan Mintz <[alm@vnf.com](mailto:alm@vnf.com)> wrote:

Lee,

As I noted in a voice mail that I left for you on Tuesday, my folks are looking at a visit to D.C. on Thursday, October 11. They are anxious to know whether you and/or David will be in town on that date and available to meet with them while they are in town.

Please let me know whether you and/or David will be in town on October 11 and , if so, whether we are likely to have the chance to get together. I have a call with my folks this afternoon, so if you have a chance, it would be good to hear from you on this scheduling question before 4 p.m. today.

Thanks, as always, for your time and consideration. I look forward to seeing you soon.

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